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DAHLIA GARDEN

197 OAKDALE AVENUE, MILL VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

1936



Trojan—First Prize "Best Receptacle of Miniatures"

AGAIN we are broadcasting a message of friendliness through the pages of our Catalog to the many friends we have made during the years we have been growing dahlias, specializing in the small varieties.

The first dahlias we grew were these small ones and because of our love for the little flowers and the success we have attained through our careful attention to their cultivation, growing only those that proved good in every way, we have established a reputation for being one of the best growers in this class.

In our garden which is hilly and terraced with a background of the soft green of redwood, oak and laurel these delightful little flowers blooming for a period of three months make a most beautiful picture. If you have never grown any just try a few in your garden whatever type it may be and you will find it the biggest investment for pleasure and beauty you have ever made.

The Miniature type which has developed so fast in the last few years has added much to the value of the small class—it has all the forms of the large dahlias in an endless variety of colors—while the Pompons are of one form—the ball-type-round and perfect.

We again won our share of blue ribbons at the 1935 Show of the Dahlia Society of California. Among the nine firsts awarded to our exhibit we won on the Best collection of Pompons (six each of nine varieties), with Elizabeth Ann, Minnie Mells, Joe Fette, Anna von Schwerin, Johnny Peppin, Taka's Purple, Little Sunshine, Bantam and Yellow Gem. For the best collection of Miniatures (three each of six varieties), we won with Golden California, Peytie Conway, Miss Vivian, Bishop of Llandaff, Coronne and Little Pearl. For small types mixed—Golden California and Yellow Gem won first. Our new introduction Trojan won first for best receptacle of Miniatures. In many of the shows this past season, including the International Miniature and Pompon Exhibit at the Central States Dahlia Society in Chicago, our introductions received awards.

We appreciate the letters our customers write us, we will be pleased to hear from new friends.

We repeat "We carefully grow and care for our stock and feel there is none better."

Sincerely,

"THE HAAKES"

(Mr. and Mrs. H. C.)

REMITTANCE, please, with order.

EXPRESS CHARGES paid on retail orders only.

DISCOUNT—Wholesale growers entitled to one-third discount if identified by business stationery.

PLEASE NOTE—We do not sell dahlia clumps.

SALES TAX—Add 3% to cover tax on all retail orders for California delivery.

BOLSA GARDEN POMPON DAHLIAS

The following Pompons are listed under a color classification.

RED SHADES

BANTAM	Beautiful red, small, perfect form, long stems	\$0.35
DARKEST OF ALL	Maroon, almost black . . . . .	.50
*JOHNNY PEPPIN	Small dark crimson, splendid formation.	.35
LITTLE MARY	Almost black, one of the smallest .	.35
TAKA'S RED	A good red with very long stems— very free bloomer . . . . .	.35

LAVENDER AND PURPLE SHADES

DEE DEE	Pale lilac, very small . . . . .	.35
HELEN ANITA	Small lavender, white center, very at- tractive, long stems . . . . .	.35
*LIBBIE ROHR	Cerise purple. Long stems. . . . .	.50
*MARY MUNNS	Fuchsia, dark orchid sheen, long stems	.35
*MINNIE MELLS (1934)	Orchid rose, tipped and flushed with deep orchid with a deeper eye. Small perfect exhibition form with long stems . . . . .	.50
*SUMEYA	Rosy magenta, fine form . . . . .	.35
TAKA'S PURPLE	Bright phlox purple—long stems .	.35

YELLOW AND ORANGE SHADES

DONNY	Small orange. Holds center. . . . .	.50
DOUGLAS TUCKER	Golden yellow, crimson center . .	.25
GOLDILOCKS	Pure gold. Long stems . . . . .	.25
HONEY	Light honey yellow with faint suffu- sion of red on edge of petals. Long stems . . . . .	.35

*Our own originations.

Bolsa Garden Pompon Dahlias—Continued

YELLOW AND ORANGE SHADES—Continued

LITTLE DAVID	Deep burnt orange, perfect form; abundant bloomer	\$0.25
LITTLE EDITH	Very small, yellow tipped bronze . . . . .	.35
*LITTLE SUNSHINE (1934)	Light gold, good form and long stems . . . . .	.50
MIKE	Orange red, small; very dainty . . . . .	.35
*MYRA	Deep canary base, heavily tipped raspberry red. . . . .	.25
NANKY POO	Golden yellow brownish center . . . . .	.35
*PEGGY ANN	Yellow, edged and shaded brownish red, prolific bloomer. . . . .	.25
*PIXY	Small deep yellow, heavily tipped Indian red. . . . .	.35
SALLY	Small shell-like petals, deep cream slightly flushed pink . . . . .	.35
SONNY	Pinkish cinnamon, very long stems exhibition type . . . . .	.50
TAKA'S YELLOW	Deeper than Yellow Gem—good cut flower . . . . .	.35
YELLOW GEM	Pure yellow, excellent flower . . . . .	.25

PINK, OLD ROSE AND SALMON SHADES

ANNA VON SCHWERIN	Beautiful shell pink blending to a white center; very dainty . . . . .	.35
*CORA MAY	Salmon pink, shading to light primrose yellow with rose eye. . . . .	.35
*DOLORES	Very pretty deep pink, one tone . . . . .	.35
*ELIZABETH ANN	(1935 Honor Roll) Deep peach rose with glint of gold. Small, good stems	1.00
*HAAKE'S GLOW	Yellow base tipped old rose. . . . .	.35
NELLIE FRASER	Light ground, edged rose pink . . . . .	.25
ROSA WILMOUTH	Rose pink25
TY TEE	Rose blending to creamy peach.35

WHITE

JOE FETTE	Pure white25
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MINIATURE DAHLIAS

AUREOLA (<i>Dec.</i>)	Golden-apricot	\$.50
BABY JERSEY (<i>F. Dec.</i>)	Rose pink with form and habits of Jersey's Beauty75
BABY ROYAL (<i>S. Cac.</i>)	Gold Medal from England. Salmon pink shaded apricot, graceful blossoms, long stems. Low growing . . . . .	.50
BISHOP OF LLANDAFF (<i>Duplex</i>)	Rich velvety red, dark eye. Lacy foliage bronze color. Attractive . . . . .	.50
COLTNESS GEM (<i>Mignon</i>)	A small single bedding flower of clear bright red . . . . .	.50
CORONNE (<i>Dec.</i>)	Beautiful pure white miniature, decorative, resembling a gardenia. . . . .	.50
ELIZABETH PAPE (<i>Cac.</i>)	Rosy salmon pink . . . . .	.35
ETHEL CRAVENS (<i>Du.</i>)	Clear rose pink, long stems . . . . .	.35
*GOLDEN CALIFORNIA (<i>Cac.</i>)	1934 Honor Roll. Yellow and amber, salmon shadings. Low growing	1.50
LADY MARY HOPE (<i>Dec.</i>)	Amber and orange . . . . .	.50
LITTLE JEWEL (<i>Dec.</i>)	Clear delicate pink . . . . .	.35
LITTLE PEARL	A new European Miniature—a very fine semi-cactus—lovely rose pink very similar to Elizabeth Pape but a little darker in color . . . . .	.75
MARQUITA (<i>Dec.</i>)	Rosy pink—decided lavender cast . . . . .	.50
MISS VIVIAN (<i>I. Dec. inclining to Ball</i>)	1935 Honor Roll miniature, beautiful rose pink compact blossoms, very long stems. Prize winner	2.50
NESTHAKCHEN (<i>Cac.</i>)	A novelty miniature of creamy chamois with shadings of rosy amethyst, long stems. Low growing	1.00
PERSIMMON (<i>F. D.</i>)	Soft russet orange, color of a Persimmon	1.00
PEYTIE CONWAY (<i>F. D.</i>)	Violet rose with silver tips. Long stems	1.00
PINK PEARL (<i>Peony</i>)	Lovely rose pink . . . . .	.35
RADIANT MIDGET (<i>Ball</i>)	Orange flame, long rigid stems. Very free blooming . . . . .	.50
SAMARITAN (<i>Cac.</i>)	Beautiful pure white cactus, comes occasionally peony form	1.00
SANHICAN'S SWEETHEART (<i>Cac.</i>)	Pale apricot suffused with shrimp pink. Long stems. Low growing. . . . .	.75
SNOW QUEEN (<i>Large Ball</i>)	Very fine—pure ivory white—good bloomer	1.00
SUSAN ANN GILBERT (<i>F. D.</i>)	Ivory white of most perfect formation	2.00
TEDDY JOHNSON (<i>F. D.</i>)	Rose pink and white. Good florists' variety . . . . .	.50
*TROJAN (<i>S. C.</i>)	New 1936. (See New Dahlias)	
		Roots \$5.00 Net
UNION JACK (<i>Single</i>)	White, striped red50

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Miss Vivian—First Prize—Best Miniatures

DAHLIA SEED

Dahlia seed are easily germinated, produce healthy plants with a few small tubers and bloom the first year. California seed is conceded to be the finest because it is ripened on the plants in the sunshine. Our seed is gathered from the choicest varieties of pompons and miniatures afterward picked over by hand—this assures our customers the very best that can be offered. We sell the same grade of seed we use for our own planting. Growing dahlias from seed is a most fascinating enjoyment. Directions enclosed for planting.

One Pkt. Pompon seed (100)	\$1.00	One Pkt. Miniature seed (100)	.50
Tr. Pkt. Pompon seed . . . . .	.50	Tr. Pkt. Miniature seed . . . . .	.25
One Pkt. named varieties (Peytie Conway, Baby Royal or any we have)			.50
Tr. Pkt. Scarlet Coltness Gem . . . . .			.35



First Prize—Most Artistic Arrangement Miniatures *Pom-poms*
Minnie Mells, Mary Munns, Libbie Rohr and Sumeya

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